

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L BUCHAREST 4389

E.O.\*11652: GDS  
TAGS: PORG, PEPR, RO  
SUBJECT: PAKISTAN AND THE NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT

REF: ISLAMABAD 6066

1. PAKISTAN TIMES HAS IT WRONG, WHETHER BY INTENTION OR NOT. ROMANIA'S STATUS WITH NAM IS THAT OF "GUEST", NOT OBSERVER. ROMANIA MADE DETERMINED BID FOR OBSERVER STATUS AT 1976 COLOMBO CONFERENCE BUT FAILED, LARGELY DUE TO INDIAN AND CUBAN OPPOSITION. MOREOVER, THERE IS REAL QUESTION OF WHETHER ROMANIA'S "GUEST" STATUS WAS VALID ONLY FOR COLOMBO OR WHETHER, AS GOR ARGUES, IT IS "PERMANENT".

2. AS WE UNDERSTAND IT, NAM OBSERVERS HAVE RIGHT TO CIRCULATE POSITION PAPERS AND TO ADDRESS MEETINGS, WHEREAS GUESTS DO NOT. OUR READING HERE OF VAJPAYEE'S REMARKS AS REPORTED NEW DELHI 9568 IS THAT HE WAS OFFERING PAKISTAN GUEST STATUS ONLY WHILE STILL A MEMBER OF CENTO; PRESUMABLY GOI WOULD TRY TO BLOCK A PAKISTANI BID FOR OBSERVER STATUS AS IT DID ROMANIAN AND PHILIPPINE EFFORT.  
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